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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Tomislav F. MILINUSIC
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Filed : April 18, 2001
For : AN IMMERSIVE CAMERA SYSTEM
Group Art Unit : 2636
Examiner : John A. TWEEL, Jr.
Docket : THOLAM P251US (formerly 190809-1060)

The Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the official action mailed November 1, 2004, the Applicant petitions for a two month extension of term, attached hereto, thereby extending the term for response to and including **February 1, 2005**.

[XXX] A check for the fees indicated below, based upon the Applicant's small entity status, accompanies this response.	
PETITION FOR TWO MONTH(S) EXTENSION OF TERM	\$225
TOTAL	\$225

Please enter the following before reconsideration of this application. In the outstanding action, the Examiner has required restriction under 35 U.S.C. 121 between the following groups of claims:

- I. Claims 1-23, drawn to an optical system for scanning a scene to take a picture, classified in class 348, subclass 340;
- II. Claims 24-28, drawn to generating a distance detection light beam, receiving the light beam, and outputting a pixel distance signal, classified in class 348, subclass 345; or
- III. Claims 29-40, drawn to remotely controlling a camera system, classified in class 348, subclass 211.1.

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The Applicant elects the invention disclosed in Group I (claims 1-23) and it is requested that, without further action thereon, claims 24-40 be retained in this application pending disposition of this case and for possible filing of a divisional application(s).

Enclosed is an Appointment of Agent form concerning the above identified application. Please update the United States Patent and Trademark Office's records and ensure that all further correspondence is forward to the attention of the undersigned.

In the event that there are any fee deficiencies or additional fees are payable, please charge the same or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account (Account No. 04-0213).

Respectfully submitted,



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